

EMERGING MARKETS SOCIAL CORE EQUITY PORTFOLIO

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OVERVIEW

Benchmark	MSCI Emerging Markets Index (net div.)
Inception Date	Aug. 31, 2006
Ticker	DFESX
CUSIP	233203363
Fund Assets Under Managemen	t \$1.7 Billion

INVESTMENT OBJECTIVE

The investment objective of the Emerging Markets Social Core Equity Portfolio is to achieve long-term capital appreciation.

PRINCIPAL RISKS

Because the value of your investment in the Portfolio will fluctuate, there is the risk that you will lose money. An investment in the Portfolio is not a deposit of a bank and is not insured or guaranteed by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation or any other government agency. The Portfolio's principal risks include: equity market risk, profitability investment risk, value investment risk, emerging markets risk, China investments risk, foreign securities and currencies risk, small and mid-cap company risk, social investment risk, derivatives risk, securities lending risk, operational risk, and cyber security risk. For more information regarding the Portfolio's principal risks, please see the prospectus.

CHARACTERISTICS

Number of Holdings	5,364
% in Top 10 Holdings	19.74
Wtd. Avg. Mkt. Cap. (Millions)	\$93,733
Price-to-Book	1.61
Annual Turnover (10/31/2020)	20%

ANNUALIZED PERFORMANCE (%)



5 Year

10 Year

Inception

CALENDAR YEAR RETURNS (%)

3 Year

1 Year

	PORTFOLIO	BENCHMARK
2020	12.99%	18.31%
2019	17.13%	18.42%
2018	-14.88%	-14.57%
2017	37.30%	37.28%
2016	13.18%	11.19%
2015	-15.50%	-14.92%
2014	-1.25%	-2.19%
2013	-3.15%	-2.60%
2012	20.36%	18.22%
2011	-21.27%	-18.42%

Performance for the portfolio is reported net of all advisory fees and includes reinvestment of dividends and other earnings. Performance less than one year is not annualized. Performance data shown represents past performance and is no guarantee of future results. Current performance may be higher or lower than the performance shown. The investment return and principal value of an investment will fluctuate so that an investor's shares, when redeemed, may be worth more or less than their original cost. To obtain performance data current to the most recent month-end, visit us.dimensional.com.

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SECTOR ALLOCATION	
Information Technology	23.16%
Financials	19.52%
Consumer Discretionary	13.29%
Communication Services	9.45%
Materials	9.10%
Industrials	8.60%
Consumer Staples	5.82%
Real Estate	4.18%
Health Care	3.01%
Utilities	2.63%
Energy	1.20%
REITs	0.01%

TOP HOLDINGS	
Taiwan Semiconductor Manufacturing Co Ltd	4.77%
Samsung Electronics Co Ltd	4.05%
Tencent Holdings Ltd	3.72%
Alibaba Group Holding Ltd	2.23%
China Construction Bank Corp	1.21%
Infosys Ltd	0.93%
SK Hynix Inc	0.84%
Ping An Insurance Group Co of China Ltd	0.80%
HDFC Bank Ltd	0.61%
Industrial & Commercial Bank of China Ltd	0.60%

TOP COUNTRIES	
China	31.50%
Taiwan	18.57%
Korea	15.26%
India	12.19%
South Africa	3.82%
FUND COSTS	
Management Fee	0.37%
Total Operating Expense Ratio	0.45%
Net Expense Ratio (to investor)	0.45%

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